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AMCONSUL RIO DE JANEIRO PRIORITY

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SUBJECT: MISREPRESENTATION OF U.S. MEDICAL EQUIPMENT

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1. VERNITRON PRESIDENT BENJAMIN KITTNER HAS INFORMED DEPARTMENT THAT HE HAS BEEN GIVEN APPOINTMENT WITH MINISTER OF HEALTH AT 3:00 PM MAY 22. APPOINTMENT WAS ARRANGED,

SUBSEQUENT TO OUR SENDING REFTEL, BY RETIRED GENERAL ATRATINO CORTES COUTINHO WHO APPARENTLY HAS GOOD CONTACTS IN HEALTH MINISTRY AND HOPES TO DEVELOP BUSINESS RELATIONSHIP WITH VERNITRON.

2. KITTNER ARRIVING RIO DE JANEIRO 8:50 AM MAY 21 VIA PA 201, WILL BE MET AND ASSISTED BY GENERAL COUTINHO, AND BOTH WILL TRAVEL TO BRASILIA FOR APPOINTMENT WITH MINISTER. KITTNER SAYS HE WILL PHONE CONSULATE GENERAL (COMMERCIAL COUNSELOR) AND EMBASSY (AMBASSADOR OR ECONOMIC COUNSELOR) EARLY IN HIS STAY. INGERSOLL

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